# BEARFACTS 1994 – 2004 Lawrence, South Dakota [46081]

Lawrence is one of 66 counties in South Dakota. It is part of the Spearfish, SD Micropolitan SA. Its 2004 population of 22,474 ranked 8th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2004 Lawrence had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$27,723. This PCPI ranked 40th in the state and was 90 percent of the state average, \$30,813, and 84 percent of the national average, \$33,123. The 2004 PCPI reflected an increase of 7.6 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.6 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. In 1994 the PCPI of Lawrence was \$17,691 and ranked 37th in the state. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 4.1 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2004 Lawrence had a total personal income (TPI) of \$623,037\*. This TPI ranked 9th in the state and accounted for 2.6 percent of the state total. In 1994 the TPI of Lawrence was \$395,951\* and ranked 9th in the state. The 2004 TPI reflected an increase of 9.8 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 6.6 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.3 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Lawrence. In 2004 net earnings accounted for 57.3 percent of TPI (compared with 61.6 in 1994); dividends, interest, and rent were 26.6 percent (compared with 24.1 in 1994); and personal current transfer receipts were 16.1 percent (compared with 14.3 in 1994). From 2003 to 2004 net earnings increased 8.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 16.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.4 percent. From 1994 to 2004 net earnings increased on average 3.9 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 5.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.9 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Lawrence increased from \$383,279\* in 2003 to \$412,509\* in 2004, an increase of 7.6 percent. The 2003-2004 state change was 7.2 percent and the national change was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1994 estimate of \$301,678\* to the 2004 estimate was 3.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.2 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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